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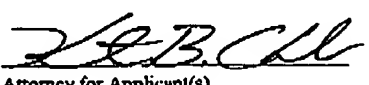
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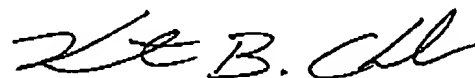
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Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-6, 9-23, 25, and 26 without traverse.

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